

Paul Bamford

Lighting Cameraman/DOP

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I have spent the last nineteen years working on and around cameras, the last ten of which as a lighting cameraman and DOP. Throughout this time, I have found myself working in a variety of situations and conditions ranging from the Arctic Circle, to the salt flats of Utah, to 14000 feet with a parachute team. I have used all formats and techniques throughout this period and keep abreast of the latest cameras and technology. I have also had the opportunity to light anything from interviews, to cars, to a station concourse, and numerous other locations in between.

Credits:

Broadcast

The Grand Tour - Chump Productions	Dir. Various	Numerous films for the new Amazon car show.
Coast vs Country - Freeform Productions	Dir. Various	UK based property show for Channel 4.
A Place in the Sun - Freeform Productions	Dir. Various	Popular property show for Channel 4.
Drive - Two Four Productions	Dir. Graham Sherrington	A new format celebrity driving show for ITV.
Tiny House World - Loud Productions	Dir. David Holroyd	A property series broadcast on FYI in America.
Gadget Show - North One	Dir. Various	Various films on this popular channel 5 show.
Britains Favourite Superhero - Yeti Media	Dir. Paul Symonds	Interviews for 90min Channel 4 entertainment show.
A League Of Their Own - CPL	Dir. Various	Insert films for the Sky 1 show.
Race To Recovery - Gaucho Productions	Dir. Tim Pritchard	Documentary following Race2Recovery in the build up to the 2013 Dakar rally.
Top Gear - BBC	Dir. Various	Insert films for the ever-popular car show on BBC2.
Cars Of The People - BBC	Dir. Tom Whitter	James May looks at the world's most popular cars through history.
Racing Legends - John Surtees	Dir. Piero Sfredda	A look back at the life and career of the former GP and Formula 1 racer.
Fifth Gear – North One	Dir. Various	Various films on this long running car show.
House Hunters Int'l - Leopard Films USA	Dir. Various	A series broadcast on HGTV in America.
Britain In The Car – BBC	Dir. Zara Hayes	An hour long feature for the BBC2 series Wonderland.
Rory Bremner's Election Report – Vera/BBC	Dir. Steve Connelly	Rory takes a look at the 2015 election in various character sketches.

Commercial/Viral

Royal Mail - Partizan	Dir. Jim Owen	A set of 3 commercials highlighting the issue of cyber fraud. https://vimeo.com/229267832
Graze - Brand and Deliver	Dir. Jim Owen	A commercial for the UK and US coinciding with a re-brand of the Graze snack range. https://vimeo.com/158495391
Ford - RSA	Dir. James Bryce	A commercial and a viral film highlighting design features of the latest range of Ford cars. https://vimeo.com/88796008 and https://vimeo.com/88796007
McVities - Partizan	Dir. Jim Owen	A series of idents for the comedy on the Gold channel. https://vimeo.com/87278391
LG - Brand and Deliver	Dir. Sam Evenden	A commercial for the new LG OLED TV with live action and CG.
Doing Something - Partizan	Dir. Jim Owen	Viral campaign for dating website Doing Something. https://vimeo.com/85470012 and https://vimeo.com/85470013
LG - Brand and Deliver	Dir. Jim Owen	Viral films having fun with the new LG G5 and 360 VR headset.
Nextbase - Crossfire	Dir. Jim Owen	Commercial showing off their latest in car dash cam.
Vitamin Water - Exposure	Dir. Jim Owen	Video campaign for the launch of Vitamin Water.
Pedigree - TBWA	Dir. Theo Bayani	Commercial for Pedigrees dog adoption campaign.
Comfort - Partizan	Dir. Jim Owen	A viral film for the Comfort 'Extra Dose of Love' campaign.

Drama/Shorts

Going Forward - BBC	Dir. Michael Cumming	3 episode BBC4 comedy series starring Jo Brand and Omid Djalili
Puppy Love - BBC	Dir. Sue Tully	6 episode BBC4 comedy series starring Joanna Scanlan and Vicki Pepperdine.
Damned - What Larks/Sky	Dir. Natalie Bailey	A one off for Sky Arts - Playhouse Presents series starring Jo Brand and Alan Davies.
Getting On (3 rd Series) - Vera/BBC	Dir. Sue Tully	6 episode BBC4 comedy series starring Joanna Scanlan, Vicki Pepperdine and Jo Brand.
Good Grief	Dir. Jim Owen	When Molly's mother passes away she returns home and uncovers a dark family secret. https://vimeo.com/97315434
Can We Talk?	Dir. Jim Owen	Honourable Mention in Short Filmmaking at Sundance 2010. https://vimeo.com/87282513
Green-Eyed Monster	Dir. Jim Owen	A couple learning about each other's past relationships. http://vimeo.com/30286906

Promo

Speech Debelle - I'm With It	Dir. Jim Owen	Promo shot for Mercury Music Prize winner, Speech Debelle. http://vimeo.com/36101979
SaintSaviour - Reasons	Dir. Jim Owen	Promo for ex-Groove Armada vocalist shot in her hometown of Stockton. http://vimeo.com/30303508
Starky - Lost In Space	Dir. Ben Adam	CG'd green screen video has the artist and guest vocalist drifting in space. http://vimeo.com/30279787
Moko – Summon The Strength	Dir. Jim Owen	Promo for Moko. https://vimeo.com/75709760
Moko – Hand on Heart	Dir. Elliott Hawkes	Promo for Moko. https://vimeo.com/75711390

Corporate (A selection of)

Xerox - Mother Brown	Dir. Kevin Brown	Royal College of Surgeons – CTN	Dir. Gavin Knight
Eurostar – BDC	Dir. Jim Owen	Weight Watchers - Coo Yah	Dir. Phil Hopkins
Yamaha - P'zaz	Dir. Ben Carratu	CSC - Loma Media	Dir. Jim Owen
Renault - Madcat Media	Dir. Carrie Patsalis	Leaseplan - Crossfire Prod.	Dir. Dave Graham
Toyota - Laing Gale & Associates	Dir. Jonathan Freer	Ford - Gaucho Prod.	Dir. Alistair Weaver
St Pancras - BDC	Dir. Jim Owen	Watford FC - Redshark	Dir. Rich Laphorn
Blackberry - Hybrid Eye	Dir. Melissa Souder	Diageo - White Dog	Dir. Alisdair Irvine
Yeo Valley - Iain Smyth Associates	Dir. Gavin Knight	Seat - Cricket	Dir. Jonathan Freer

Live Broadcast Productions

Rita Ora	Really Creative
Elton John at Stoke Park	Really Creative
Katerine Jenkins at Stoke Park	Really Creative
NATO Summit Cardiff	CTV
End Sexual Violence conference	CTV
Rhianna	Really Creative
Taylor Swift	Really Creative
Justin Bieber at Westfield	Really Creative

Other projects include:

Superhuman Showdown	Maverick	Ian Holt
Mother Of Invention	Objective	Richard Heeley
Christianity	Pioneer	Sam Taplin
How Earth Made Us	BBC	Nigel Walk
The Culture Show	BBC	Various
Multiple Personality Disorder	Avalon	Ben Kellett
Bremner, Bird & Fortune	Vera	Steve Connelly
Pot Noodle Viral	Tomboy Films	Ben Wheatley
LOCOG, Diageo, Coca Cola	Quite Frankly	Various
Invensys, ICAP, SunGard	Pretzel	Giles Ripley